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ALPHA GAMMA DELTA
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AMERICAN LEGION--PROGRAMS

333. American Legion.

Medical advisors manual. (Washington, D. C., The Legion, 1948). 96 p.

Manual contains series of articles by eminent authorities in their field on various aspects of the health and welfare of veterans. Rehabilitation, diseases, surgery, and trends in postwar psychiatry are among topics handled.

AMPUTATION--MEDICAL TREATMENT

334. Shimberg, Mandell.

The role of physical medicine in the life history of the amputee. Archives of Physical Medicine. Nov. 1943. 29:11:719-725.

Critical appraisal of the important role physical medicine plays in the rehabilitation of amputees. Proper training of limb prior to, during and after prosthesis is given.

ARCHITECTURE

335. Lampos, C. J.

Stairs, beautiful stairs --- nuts. Hygeia. Dec., 1948. 26:22:872-873, 908-909.

The architectural value and practicability of stairs and other barriers in public buildings are disputed with good humor by a polio victim who has found them a constant source of irritation to the handicapped.

ARTHRITIS--OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

336. Collins, Elizabeth.

Occupational therapy with rheumatoid arthritis. Am. J. of Occupational Therapy. Sept.-Oct., 1948. 2:5:266-270.

A discussion primarily for occupational therapists of the four stages of rheumatoid arthritis, the effect of occupational therapy on the arthritic patient, and basic rules of exercises to be observed in his treatment.

BLIND--EMPLOYMENT

337. U.S. Office of Vocational Rehabilitation.

Handbook of job descriptions in rural activities suitable for the employment of blind persons. (Washington, The Office, 1943). Various paging. (Rehabilitation Service Series no. 52. Mineo.

Issued by the Research and Legislative Service, National Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Inc.

AMERICAN LEGION--PROGRAMS
333. American Legion 11 South LaSalle Street

Chicago 3, Illinois

Medical advisors manual. (Washington, D. C., The Legion, 1948). 96 p.

BLIND--EMPLOYMENT (continued)

Manual contains information on jobs and tasks for farm hands and the specialty farmer. The Office plans to prepare and issue material on farm managers and operators of a general farm, at a later date.

BLIND--SPECIAL EDUCATION

338. Scholl, Geraldine.

Some current problems in education of the blind. J. of Exceptional Children. Nov., 1943. 15:2:45-48, 55.

Condensed from "The Major functions of education applied to residential and day schools for the blind," unpublished Masters thesis, Wayne University, Detroit, Michigan.

BRAIN INJURIES--PHYSICAL THERAPY

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CANCER

339. Cancer rehabilitation; restoring the cancer patient to normal physical and psychological well-being is a challenge of today. Cancer News. Oct.-Nov., 1943. 2:10-11:3-7.

The problems of adjustment facing the cancer patient upon release from the hospital are discussed from the point of responsibility of the social case worker, family doctor, therapist and family.

CEREBRAL PALSY

340. Phelps, Winthrop Morgan.

Let's define cerebral palsy. Crippled Child. June, 1943. 26:1:4-6, 26. Reprint.

Reprinted for distribution by Information Service, National Society for Crippled Children and Adults. Single copies 10¢

CEREBRAL PALSY--EMPLOYMENT

341. Busfield, J. Mabel.

Alpha Gamma Delta charts first job; placement aid for cerebral palsy. Alpha Gamma Delta Quarterly. Nov., 1943. 29:4:158-163.

An account of the Fraternity's program to establish fellowships for the training of vocational counselors, as implemented by a gift of \$5,000 to the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults.

CEREBRAL PALSY--INSTITUTIONS--CANADA

342. Waller, Elizabeth.

Treatment for spastics in British Columbia. Canadian Red Cross Junior. Dec., 1943. 27:10:3-9.

Recent interest in cerebral palsy in British Vancouver has led to the opening of a Spastic Wing in the Children's Hospital. Therapeutic treatments for the cerebral palsied child and a training program for parents are offered.

CEREBRAL PALSY--PARENT EDUCATION

343. California. State Department of Education, Sacramento.

Information for parents of cerebral palsied children, by Romaine P. Mackie. Sacramento, The Dept., 1943. 20 p., illus. Free

A pamphlet designed to help parents understand the facts concerning cerebral palsy and its treatment. Describes facilities available in California to aid the cerebral palsied child. The chapter "Helping the child to grow and develop" should prove especially useful. Bibliography.

CEREBRAL PALSY--PHYSICAL THERAPY

844. Bobath, Berta.

The importance of the reduction of muscle tone and the control of mass reflex action in the treatment of spasticity. Occupational Therapy and Rehabilitation. Oct., 1948. 27:5:371-383.

"In this paper a new method of treating patients suffering from the effects of non-progressive lesions of the upper motor neurone will be described. This group comprises infantile and adult hemiplegias and diplegias, regardless of aetiology."

CEREBRAL PALSY--PROGRAMS

845. Rusk, Howard A.

What can be done for cerebral palsy. Am. Mercury. Nov., 1948. 67:601-604. Reprint.

Distributed through the courtesy of the Cerebral Palsy Division of the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults. Single copies free.

CEREBRAL PALSY--PROGRAMS--TEXAS

846. Collins, Argero Booth.

Happy though palsied; citizens at Lubbock, in west Texas, unite to remove the blight from children who haven't had a fair chance. Rotarian. Dec., 1948. 73: 6:32-33.

Short description of a program sponsored by Lubbock Rotarians, who became interested in cerebral palsy through the efforts of the Texas Society for Crippled Children and Adults.

CEREBRAL PALSY--SPEECH CORRECTION

847. Bosley, Elizabeth.

Development of sucking and swallowing. Spastic Rev. Dec., 1948. 9:12:10-12.

Article stresses importance and means of developing sucking and swallowing reflexes in the cerebral palsied infant as an aid to the later development of proper speech habits in the child.

CEREBRAL PALSY--SPECIAL EDUCATION--NEW MEXICO

848. New Mexico. New Mexico Society for Crippled Children, Albuquerque.

A demonstration project in cerebral palsy sponsored by the Albuquerque Junior League and the New Mexico Society for Crippled Children, by Julia D. Penny. (Albuquerque, The Society, 1948). 5 p. Mimeo.

A description of a school for cerebral palsied children which opened in October, 1948, under the sponsorship of the New Mexico Society for Crippled Children.

CHRONIC DISEASE

849. Lawrence, P. S.

Chronic illness and socio-economic status. Public Health Reports. Nov. 19 1948. 63:47:1507-1521.

A report based on a study made of the relationship of two illness surveys made in Hagerstown, Maryland, after an interval of twenty years to determine the similarity between health status and economic factors.

CLEFT PALATE--NURSING CARE

850. Scott, Ruth B.

Prognosis: excellent treatment: unique. R.N. Nov., 1948. 12:2:51-53, 58, 60, 62.

"An account of a successful 18-year experiment of treating post-operative cleft lip and palate patients in a nurse's own home, probably the only one of its kind in the country."

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

See 897, 898

CONGENITAL DEFECT

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DEAF

851. Bender, Ruth E.

The discovery and training of hearing in young deaf children. Volta Rev. Nov., 1948. 50:11:572-574, 592, 594.

Discusses various techniques in the training of school and pre-school children, with special emphasis on desk hearing aids and portable hearing aids.

DEAF--MENTAL HYGIENE

852. Disabilities: 15. Deafness. Lancet. Oct. 23, 1948. 255:6530:663-664.

Autobiographical sketch of an Englishman who became deaf at 13 as a result of cerebrospinal meningitis. Gives history of personal adjustment to disability, education at college, and career as a chaplain.

DEAF--SPECIAL EDUCATION

853. DiCarlo, Louis M.

An educational program for children with impaired hearing. Elementary School J. Nov., 1948. 49:3:160-167. Reprint.

Presentation of a comprehensive class room program for the rehabilitation of deaf or hard of hearing school children. Historical background and requisites for an educational program are given.

EDUCATION

See 363, 364, 365, 366, 373

EMPLOYMENT

See 837, 841, 892

EPILEPSY--MEDICAL TREATMENT

854. Peterman, M. G.

Epilepsy in childhood; newer methods of diagnosis and treatment. J. Am. Med. Assn. Dec. 4, 1943. 133:14:1012-1019.

A statement on the known facts of epilepsy and a review of the progress made in the diagnosis and use of new drugs. Author's conclusion is that the most effective treatment for epilepsy is the ketogenic diet.

GIRL SCOUTS

855. Lewis, Margaret C.

Leaders of handicapped Girl Scouts confer. Girl Scout Leader. Nov., 1948. 25:8:5, 22.

Highlights of the first conference held for leaders of handicapped Girl Scouts.

HEART DISEASE (CONGENITAL)

856. Gordon, William H.

The child with congenital heart disease is a crippled child---too! Dallas, Texas Society for Crippled Children (1943?). (3) p.

HOSPITAL SCHOOLS--ILLINOIS

857. Richardson, Walter E.

Record accomplishments mark hospital school record. Welfare Bul., Illinois Dept. of Public Welfare. Oct., 1948. 39:10:5-6, 8, 16.

HOSPITAL SCHOOLS--ILLINOIS (continued)

A resume of the successful record of the Illinois Children's Hospital-School since its beginning two years ago. Description given of the facilities, services, and program in effect at the school.

HOSPITAL SCHOOLS--IOWA

358. Iowa. Iowa Hospital-School for Severely Handicapped Children, Iowa City.

The Iowa Hospital-School for Severely Handicapped Children, (Iowa City, The Hospital, 1948). (6) p.

A publicity leaflet designed for free distribution by the Iowa Hospital-School for Severely Handicapped Children, Iowa City, Iowa

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

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MENTAL DEFECTIVES--PROGRAMS--OHIO

359. Voorhees, Leonard B.

Training the defective child. Kiwanis Mag. Nov., 1948. 33:11:22, 44.

A Kiwanis club assumed the leadership in creating a new school in Euclid, Ohio, for children in need of special education.

MENTAL DEFECTIVES--SPECIAL EDUCATION

360. Illinois. University. College of Education.

Education of mentally handicapped children; selected annotated bibliography, by Samuel A. Kirk and Robert L. Erdman. Urbana, The College, 1943. 47 p. (University of Illinois Bulletin, Sept., 1948). 25¢

"The references in this publication are confined primarily to educational articles or to articles which have a direct application to educational procedures. Purely medical or psychological literature has not been included."

MENTAL HYGIENE

361. Cruickshank, William M.

Group therapy with physically handicapped children, by William M. Cruickshank and Emory L. Cowen. J. of Educational Psychology. Apr.-May, 1948. 193-215; 281-297. Reprint.

Contents: Pt. I. Report of study. - Pt. II. Evaluation.

Report of a study of five physically handicapped children who presented emotional problems. Actual conversations of the children are recorded. An evaluation is made of each child and the study as a whole.

See also 901

MOVING PICTURES--CATALOGS

362. Association for Childhood Education.

Films interpreting children and youth, by Margaret Harpell, Edgar Dale, and Marie Quick. (Washington, D. C.) The Assn., 1947. 35 p. 50¢

Films cover following subjects: Building social awareness, child development, community participation, films from other countries, health and nutrition, learning programs for children and youth, and young children at home and at nursery school.

NURSERY SCHOOLS

363. Association for Childhood Education.

Portfolio for nursery school teachers, prepared by Elizabeth Neterer and Alice M. Avans. Washington, D. C., The Assn. (1945). 12 pieces in portfolio. 75¢

NURSERY SCHOOLS (continued)

Written for teachers of nursery schools and kindergartens. Portfolio contains material for establishing a constructive, well balanced program for the school day of the young child.

364. Association for Childhood Education

Portfolio on materials for work and play. (Washington, D.C.) The Assn. (1945). 12 pieces in portfolio. 75¢

Information on source, use and care of materials necessary for creative forms of activity in the classroom. Drawing, modeling, building materials, musical instruments, and puppets are among the subjects treated.

365. National Association for Nursery Education.

Essentials of nursery education. Chicago, The Assn., 1948. 32 p. 50¢

A summary of the basic requirements of a sound educational program for the nursery school child. Personnel, policies and an outline of activities for the teacher and child are suggested. Bibliography.

NURSERY SCHOOLS--BIBLIOGRAPHY

366. National Association for Nursery Education.

A bibliography of nursery school education. (Chicago) The Assn., 1947. 127 p. Planographed. \$1.25.

Complete review of literature in the field from nursery schools as a whole, through aspects of child development, and curriculum planning.

OSTEOMYELITIS--MEDICAL TREATMENT

367. Beerman, Curtis A.

Treatment of acute hematogenous osteomyelitis of the long bones in infants and children. J. of Pediatrics. Nov., 1948. 33:5:573-590.

Article cites medical case histories of seven children with acute osteomyelitis. A suggested course of treatment is given.

PARAPLEGIA

368. Sanders, Everett M.

Mobilization of paraplegics: 1. The early stage. Occupational Therapy and Rehabilitation. Oct., 1948. 27:5:353-370. Reprint.

A detailed series of bed exercises for the rehabilitation of paraplegics. Exercises start with strengthening the diaphragm, developing chest muscles, and finally, arm and hand muscles. Philosophy which determines techniques used is also discussed.

PARAPLEGIA--MEDICAL TREATMENT

369. Sippy, H. Ivan.

The care of paraplegic patients from the viewpoint of internal medicine. Archives of Physical Medicine. Nov., 1943. 29:11:711-713..

PHYSICAL THERAPY--PERSONNEL

370. Pfrimmer, Norma.

A state field physical therapy program, by Norma Pfrimmer and Esther Gillette. Public Health Nursing. Nov., 1948. 40:11:553-556, 558.

Description of a field physical therapy service sponsored by the Colorado State Department of Public Health.

PLAY THERAPY

871. Play diagnosis and play therapy. Nervous Child. July, 1948. 7:3:233-336.

Contents: Children's play and abnormal behavior, by Ernest Harms. Play diagnosis, by Ernest Harms. "The scribbling game," a projective method, by Paula Elksch. The play-interview as an investigative and therapeutic procedure, by Jacob H. Conn. Play therapy, by J. Louise Despert. Play technique as a differential therapeutic medium, by Joseph C. Solomon. The school's part in the therapy of a fear obsession in a four year old child, by Abraham B. Schwartz and Irene Harbeck. A study of play therapy with an eleven year old boy suffering of severe castration fears, by Henrietta T. Glatzer. Play therapy for the institutional child, by Helen E. Miller. Play group therapy for young children, by S. R. Slavson. Therapy dramatics for the public schoolroom, by Emily P. Gillis.

POLIO MYELITIS

See 902

POSTURE

872. Joint Orthopedic Nursing Advisory Service.

Posture and nursing, by Jessie L. Stevenson, 2nd ed., rev. New York, The Service, 1948. 96 p., illus.

Posture is discussed in its relation to bed patients, maternal and infancy care, pre-school child, school health program, the aged, and worker in industry. Extensive use of illustrations and diagrams add to clarity and usefulness of text. Bibliography.

PRIMARY SCHOOLS--STUDY UNITS AND COURSES

873. Association for Childhood Education.

This is science, by Herbert S. Zim. Washington, D. C., The Assn. (c1945). 43 p. 50¢.

This pamphlet was designed for the use of teachers in presenting science to the young school child. It is based on actual methods and programs used by school teachers. Outlines basic program of science activities for the classroom. Last chapter contains list of equipment, supplies and source of free and low cost material. Bibliography.

PUBLIC HEALTH--PLANNING

874. Nelbach, George J.

The role of the voluntary health agency in promoting full time local public health service in Iowa. Des Moines, Iowa Tuberculosis and Health Association, 1948. 23 p. 50¢

Address delivered at 1948 Annual Meeting, Iowa Tuberculosis and Health Association, April 1 and 2, Des Moines, Iowa.

READING

875. Eames, Thomas H.

Incidence of diseases among reading failures and nonfailures. J. of Pediatrics. Nov., 1948. 33:5:614-617.

Diseases were found 21.1 per cent more often among reading failures than among those who learned to read. Types of diseases found and treatment of reading failure are mentioned briefly.

RED CROSS. U. S. AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS--PROGRAMS

876. Red Cross. U. S. American National Red Cross.

When disaster strikes; a chapter manual for disaster preparedness and relief. Washington, D. C. American National Red Cross (c1948). 100 p. (ARC 209. Rev. June, 1948).

Complete handbook of the American Red Cross's authority, policy and responsibility in the event of disasters or emergencies. Outlines program in the event of emergency relief, rehabilitation, or industrial disasters.

REHABILITATION CENTERS--KENTUCKY

877. McCulloch, Nell.

Louisville's curative workshop. Am. J. of Occupational Therapy. Sept.-Oct., 1948. 11:5:289-291.

The Director of the Workshop gives a step by step account of the plans and study undertaken prior to and coexistent with the founding of the Louisville Curative Workshop. A brief description of the Workshop and its facilities is given.

RHEUMATIC FEVER

878. Wilson, May G.

Longevity in rheumatic fever; based on the experiences of 1,042 children observed over a period of thirty years, by May G. Wilson and Rose Lubschez. J. of Am. Med. Assn. Nov. 13, 1948. 138:11:794-798.

Statistical findings, comments and summary of a study made at a cardiac clinic in a hospital in New York City.

SCHOOL HYGIENE--PROGRAMS--NEW YORK

879. Ayling, William E.

School health services. Health News. Oct., 1948. 25:27:3-7, 19.

Description of health program activities in effect in Syracuse, New York. Program of the Health Service Department includes annual medical examination, oral health program, health teaching classes for the handicapped, and operation of a cardiac classification center.

SCOLIOSIS

880. Smith, E. M.

Conservative treatment of scoliosis in selected cases, by E. M. Smith and C. D. Shields. Archives of Physical Medicine. Nov., 1948. 29:11:709-714.

"It is the authors' contention that the use of the brace which they describe, together with intelligent use of therapeutic exercises, will bring correction in certain cases and definite limitations of progression in other."

SOCIAL SERVICE--FINANCE

881. O'Connor, Basil.

The other side of the record. (Chicago, National Society for Crippled Children and Adults, 1948). (11) p.

Speech delivered by Basil O'Connor, President of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, at the 27th Annual Convention of the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults, on November 15, 1948, at the La Salle Hotel, Chicago, Ill. Distributed free of charge by the Society, or the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, 120 Broadway, New York 5, N. Y.

SPECIAL EDUCATION

882. American Association of School Administrators.

Exceptional children. Youth Leaders Digest. Nov., 1948. 11:2:47-55.

Condensed from the 26th (1948) yearbook of the American Association of School Administrators.

Problems relative to educating the exceptional child are evaluated with respect to extent, cost of educating, locating the child, and age range to be served. The special needs of each of the four groups of exceptional children are reviewed.

883. Ellis, Vivian.

Some changing concepts in the education of physically handicapped children. J. of School Health. Nov., 1948. 18:9:241-247.

A discussion of the problems, both past and present, inherent in the education of the physically handicapped child, and the means by which an intelligent program can be established, one of which is absorbing children with minor handicaps into the regular school program.

SPECIAL EDUCATION (continued)

Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the New York State Association of School Physicians and the New York State School Nurse Teachers' Assn., Saratoga Springs, N. Y., July 20, 1948.

884. Hayes, Anna H.

Helping the handicapped child. Nat. Parent-Teacher. Dec., 1948. 43:4:27-29.

A plea for the establishment of an adequate educational program for the handicapped and hospitalized child. Summary given of the essential requirements of such a program.

SPEECH CORRECTION--PARENT EDUCATION

885. Maryland. Allegany County League for Crippled Children, Cumberland.

A bulletin for parents of the child with delayed speech, by Lois Burrack; with foreword by Vivian Lambert Annan and book supplement by Mary G. Walsh. Cumberland, Md., The League, 1948. 20 p.

Designed to inform parents as to the causes of speech delay and what may be done about the difficulty. Includes a list of suggested recordings and a bibliography of additional reading matter.

SPEECH CORRECTION--SURVEYS

886. Burrack, Lois.

A speech survey - Roman Catholic parochial schools in Allegany County, Md. (Cumberland, Md., Allegany County League for Crippled Children, 1948). 4 p. Mimeo.

Statistics on the number, types, age, and sex of school children with speech defects in the Catholic elementary and high schools of Allegany County. Bibliography.

SPORTS

887. Flury, Robert J.

Sportsmen, don't let handicaps stop you. Hygeia. Dec., 1948. 26:22:882-883, 910.

An account of the rehabilitation of a veteran who was paralyzed from the hips down, but refused to let his handicap interfere with normal living and an active interest in sports.

STATE SOCIETIES--CONNECTICUT--BRIDGEPORT CHAPTER--REPORTS

888. Connecticut. Connecticut Society for Crippled Children and Adults. Bridgeport Chapter.

Annual report, June 1, 1947 - May 31, 1948. Bridgeport, Conn., The Chapter, 1948. 12 p.

Record of accomplishments and program for the year.

STATE SOCIETIES--KENTUCKY--REPORTS

889. Kentucky. Kentucky Society for Crippled Children, Louisville.

Annual report, October 1, 1947 to October 1, 1948. Louisville, The Society, 1948.

Leaflet designed for free distribution by the Society, 340 S. Third Street, Louisville, Kentucky.

STATE SOCIETIES--NEW YORK--PROGRAMS

890. New York. New York State Association for Crippled Children, Inc., Albany.

Two-day demonstration conference on functioning programs for disabled in New York state, November 4 and 5, 1948, Lenox Hill Hospital, New York City. Albany, The Assn., 1948. (14) p., illus.

SURGERY (PLASTIC)

891. Wickstrom, Otto W.

Plastic repair of surface defects of the lower extremity. U. S. Naval Med. Bul.
Nov.-Dec., 1948. 48:6:823-830.

TUBERCULOSIS

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TUBERCULOSIS---EMPLOYMENT

892. Florida. Vocational Rehabilitation Service.

Jobs and salaries of ex-tuberculous persons rehabilitated in Florida in 1948, by Dodd Pace and Fannie B. Shaw. Tallahassee, The Service, 1948. 12 p. Mimeo.

"A study of the 112 ex-tuberculous persons who were rehabilitated through the Vocational Rehabilitation Service of the State Department of Education during the year ended June 30, 1948."

VETERANS (DISABLED)--MEDICAL TREATMENT

See 833

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

893. Norwick, Sydney.

Physicians and vocational rehabilitation for civilians. Occupational Medicine.
Apr., 1948. 5:4:368-373.

Description of vocational rehabilitation program of the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation, which was designed to unite vocational agencies and physicians, so that more efficient employment services could be offered the handicapped.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION--GREAT BRITAIN

894. Plewes, L. W., and others.

Rehabilitation in industry, by L. W. Plewes, A. R. Thompson, John N. Barron and H. W. Newell. Lancet. Oct. 30, 1948. 255:6531:699-703.

A description of a rehabilitation center in an automotive factory in England. The program consists of industrial occupational therapy, physical therapy and medical rehabilitation. The services are available to incapacitated factory personnel and disabled servicemen.

VOLUNTARY HEALTH AGENCIES

See 874.

WALKING

895. Rehman, Irving and others.

Some of the forces exerted in the normal human gait, by Irving Rehman, Paul R. Patek and Margaret Gregson. Archives of Physical Medicine. Nov., 1948. 29: 11: 698-702.

"The purpose of this paper is to present data now available in connection with our long term study of locomotion in normal and in pathologic conditions."

NEW BOOKS IN THE LIBRARY

BRAIN INJURIES--PHYSICAL THERAPY

896. Hern, K. M.

Physical treatment of injuries of the brain and allied mental disorders. With a foreword by Air Vice-Marshal Sir Charles P. Symonds. Baltimore, The Williams and Wilkins Co., 1947. 96 p., illus. \$4.00

A well-illustrated manual of instruction for physical therapists in the treatment of patients suffering from brain injuries. The treatment described is the method employed by Miss Hern at the Military Hospital for Head Injuries, Oxford, England.

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

397. Dubos, Rene J., ed.

Bacterial and mycotic infections in man. Philadelphia, J. B. Lippincott, (c1948). 785 p., col. pl., illus. \$5.00.

"This volume was designed to convey to the medical student - and we hope also to the practitioner of medicine - some knowledge of the bacteria, actinomycetes and molds pathogenic to man, as well as the phenomena which characterize the infectious process."

"It begins with a brief review of the role that bacteria play in diseases and a picture of the cycle of infectious processes, then follows a short description of the individual parasite and its behavior. Finally fundamental principles of the management of the infectious diseases are established from the viewpoint of therapy rather than actual diseases." Bibliography.

398. Rivers, Thomas H., ed.

Viral and rickettsial infections of man. Philadelphia, J. B. Lippincott Co., (c1948). 537 p., col. pl., illus. \$5.00

"There is need for a book on viral and rickettsial infections of man to which the medical students and practicing physicians may turn for information. Each unit of the book, written by a contributor of authority, includes the diagnosis, the prognosis, the current treatment of choice - in short, a clinical picture of the various diseases in viral and rickettsial infections." Bibliography.

CONGENITAL DEFECT

399. Murphy, Douglas P.

Congenital malformations; a study of parental characteristics with special reference to the reproductive process. 2nd ed. Philadelphia, J. B. Lippincott Company (c1947). 127 p., tables. \$5.00.

This book is based on a five year study of parental background of congenitally defective children. Findings are tabulated and conclusions are drawn from statistics given. Part I of the book constitutes the text of the first edition of this work. Part II deals with two groups of families studied under contrasting conditions. Bibliography.

JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

400. Goldberg, Harriet L.

Child offenders; a study in diagnosis and treatment. New York, Grune & Stratton, 1948. 215 p.

Contents: Children in court; Mentally retarded children; Emotionally unstable children and those with neurotic patterns; Neurotics and psychoneurotics; Psychopathic personalities and the mentally ill; The physically ill and the socially handicapped; Challenge to community organization.

MENTAL HYGIENE

401. Ray, Marie Beynon.

How to conquer your handicaps. Indianapolis, Bobbs-Merrill, (c1948). 336 p. \$3.00.

Definitely written for the general public, this book has a tendency to create a feeling of confidence and hope that is not always well-founded. Numerous case histories, including famous and successful people, are cited to substantiate the author's claims. To the handicapped seeking reassurance, this book may bring some measure of comfort.

POLIO

402. Berg, Roland H.

Polio and its problems, with a foreword by Basil O'Connor. Philadelphia, J. B. Lippincott Co., (c1948). 174 p., illus. \$3.00

POLIO MYELITIS (continued)

The author presents a comprehensive picture of poliomyelitis from its recognition as a crippling disease, through years of research and experimentation, to the present day problems of prevention and cure.

TUBERCULOSIS

903. Lovell, Robert G.

Taking the cure; the patient's approach to tuberculosis. New York, Macmillan co., 1948. 93 p., illus. \$2.00.

This book was written for the tuberculous patient entering a hospital or sanitarium for the first time and endeavors to answer the perplexing questions which arise in the mind of the invalid. The basic facts concerning the disease and convalescence are explained in the belief that knowledge will be of benefit to the patient. Bibliography.

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